### PARCEL POST HAS DOUBLED IN MONTH

Vast Increase in Volume of Traffic Follows Removal of Restrictions.

BECOMES PROBLEM

Richmond Post-Office Needs More Space and Clerks to Handle It.

How to handle the vast increase in parcel post business, brought about by the removal of restrictions from that class of mail, has become a serious problem with the local post-office and with the Post-Office Department in Washington. Reduction of rates and the raising of the weight limit have done much to popularize the parcel post with the public, but the institution of the C. O. D. feature of the service has added more traffic than all else combined, according to the Richmond postal officials.

More clerks, more wagons and more from are demanded by the growing parcel post traffic, says Assistant Postmaster Southward, who has made a study of the business. The C. O. D. feature was inaugurated on July 1, and during July and August the volume lass of mail, has become a serious

during July and August the volume of incoming and outgoing mail matter of this class more than doubled in the local post-office. Postmaster Allan faces a problem in the speedy distribution of this matter with the meagre facilities at his command now.

Want Motor Trucks.

The Department in Washington has been asked for motor delivery wagons for the parcel post service and for permission to employ additional clerks. It is expected that no trouble will be met in obtaining the request, if the need for the new service can be demonstrated.

Chesapeake and Ohio Plan at strated.

strated.
In this connection, it is interesting to note that the other postal innova-tion introduced by Postmaster-General Hitchcock, the postal savings bank, is just beginning to obtain a foothold in Richmond. It has done only a very small business here since its incep-

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ty-five years ago. The seven who will be the hosts of first'

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customs and activities which made it the storied wonderland of earlier days. Added to this fact, its industrial development has outgrown the

business methods of the period in which it began, and as a result the bankers of our State have pledged unlimited financial support for the

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# **GREATER SAFETY** FOR RAILROAD MEN

Assistant General Manager Coons Explains System as Worked

Newport News Adopted in Shipbuilding Plant.

The "safety first" movement extendtion, but this has been the experience in all cities. Recently the postal savings bank has attracted more patronage in Richmond, noticeably from the foreign element of the allage in Richmond, noticeably from the room of Murphys from foreign element of the city. The absence of business is taken by the post-sence of business is taken by the post-eral manager of the Baltimore and configuration of the Baltimore and the Ba office authorities to indicate a confi-dence in Richmond banking institu-tions on the part of the local public. the new hotel building, being the first the new hotel building, being the first gathering to be held in the large new hall. Several hundred welldining hall. Several hundred well-known Richmond railroad men were

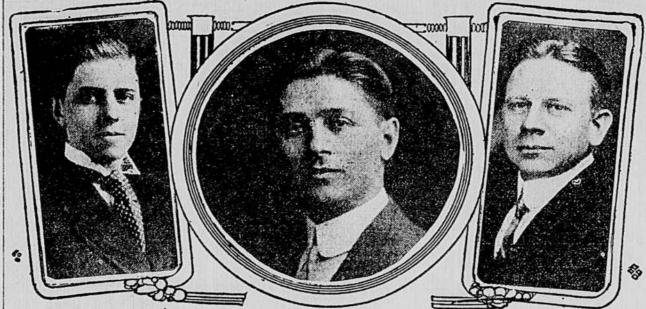
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Mr. Coons explained that the safety first movement was intended to teach employes of the railways have to promise the commission of the railways have to promise the railways have the railways have to promise the railways have the railways have to promise the railways have the railways hav

first" course in the Newport News terminal of the Chesapeake and Ohio,

### AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF BANKING OFFICERS



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**NEW COMPANIES** 

Requirements Are Not Up

to Full Strength.

Adjutant-General Is Anxious to

Have One Company Formed

in South Richmond.

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recruited up to twelve active compa-

MUST ADD FIVE

IRWIN L. BOURGEOIS,



F. A. CRANDALL, Chairman Executive Council.

# HITCH IN OPENING

HARRY V. HAYNES, Vice-President.

The seven who will be the hosts of the occasion are: Major Werner, Sergeant Marrin, Sergeant Shomaker, Patrolman Kuhn, Patrolman Folkes, Patrolman Hulcher and Signal Operator Sale.

W. Lynwood Batkins Drowned.
Word was received yesterday of the death of W. Lynwood Batkins, of Richmond, who was accidentally drowned at San Diego, Cal. The body has been shipped to this city for burial.

Hirst course in the Newport Sergeant Shomaker, Patrolman Hulcher and Signal Operator Sale.

With such marked success that the to present in writing the proposal it has to offer to the city, so that it may be transmitted to the full committee. The city, it is understood, stands ready to grade all alleys, to curb and gutter and lay gas, water and sewer mains free of cost to the owners if they will agree to dedicate land for West, Cleveliand and Tilden Streets on a fifty-foot basis, and extend Grace Street and Cutshaw Avenue through the length of the shaw Avenue through the length of the property westward.

### The Weather.

Forecast: Virginia-Local rains and warmer Wednesday; Thursday prob-ably fair. Special Local Data for Yesterday,

The State of Texas and the city of Dallas, through their representa- tives at Richmond, warmly and cordially invite you to	3 P. M. temperature
Come to Dallas in 1914	Mean temperature
We use this medium for conveying our invitation for the double purpose of securing the widest publicity, and at the same time placing it before you in a manner that we think will reduce to the minimum the possibility of unduly distracting your attention from the proceedings of the present convention or interferring with your enjoyment of the splendid recreational features prepared for us by our Richmond hosts.  Our sole and animating motive in urging you to come to Dallas next year is to utilize the inspiration that always radiates from your annual gatherings in the extension of the educational work of the	Accumulated excess in temperature since January 1. 285 Deficiency in rainfall since March 1. 97 Accumulated deficiency in rainfall since January 1. 407 Local Observation S P. M. Yesterday. Temperature 65 Humidity 70 Wind—direction N. E. Wind—velocity 5
institute throughout the vast new territory known as the Southwest.  In addition to this, we believe that the new inspiration and educational stimulus will be mutual. You have never met in Texas or	CONDITIONS IN IMPORTANT CITIES, (At 8 P. M. Eastern Standard Time.) Place. Ther. H. T. L. T. Weather.

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# **BANKERS ARRIVE**

Larus & Bros. tobacco factory, and at would St. John's Church, and the trip will lice it end at the Country Club, where a buf- ance. fet supper will be served, and dancing will follow. Clinton L. Williams is in charge of this feature of the entertainment program.

To-morrow night, following a busy day in the convention, there will be a Richmond jollification in the Jefferson ballroom in charge of R. Latimer Gordon, Alvin M. Smith and W. T. Dabney. Polk Miller will have his banjo, and there will be refreshwents and denote the convention of th there will be refreshments and danc ing.
The chief entertainment feature pro-

vided for the convention is an all-day trip on James River Saturday, follow-ing formal adjournment. The boat will leave Richmond at 8 A. M. and stop at Jamestown Island, continuing to Newport News. Many delegates expect to return from that point by boat to Washington, Baltimore, New York or Boston. Others will come back to Richmond that afternoon by train.

President Alvin M. Smith announced last night that the privileges of the Business Man's Club, were extended to Business Man's Club, were extended to Both and Special President Alvin M. Smith announced last night that the privileges of the Business Men's Club were extended to Police Commissioners will be held to-made appropriate by the fact that the all members of the American Institute of Banking during the convention. To-Day's Program.

The business program for to-day's session follows:

First Session 9:30 A. M. Convention called to order by President Moser. Invocation, Rev. H. D. C. Maclachlan, tain Barfoot, effective at once. of Seventh Street Christian

committee.

Greeting on behalf of American Bankers' Association, Colonel Fred. E. Farnsworth, general secretary of the American Bankers' Association. Annual address, Byron W. Moser, president.

Adjournment.

# TO VOTE AGAINST CHANGE IN NAME

Protestant Episcopal Church Will Hold Its Triennial Convention in New York.

### VIRGINIANS ARE INSTRUCTED

Dioceses of Virginia and Southern Virginia Stand Together on Big Questions.

When the question of changing the name of the denomination is brought before the triennial convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church early next month in New York, the delegations from the Diocese of Virginia and the Diocese of Southern Virginia will stand solidly against the measure. At both of the annual diocesan conventions during the past summer, the majority went on record as against any change in the church name, and so

any change in the church name, and so instructed the delegates.

Another matter on which the two dioceses will unite on the floor of the convention is that of purity standards. Memorials were ordered prepared by both bodies and sent to the general convention, and the delegates were instructed to urge this matter. Neither delegation is instructed on the method of choosing the presiding officer, which will be a rather live question.

The convention, which is held every three years, will begin on October 6. Sessions will be held in a big assembly

War Department Complains That Sessions will be held in a hig assembly hall, which was built especially for that purpose, adjoining the Cathedral of St. John the Divine. Neither of the two men who provided the money for SUGGEST MANY LOCATIONS the construction of the hall-J. Pier-pont Morgan and Bayard Cutting-is

Change Is Long Agitated.

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The convention will be one of the most important ever held by the denomination. The question of changing the name of the church has been agitated for years, and at the last convention, held in Cincinnati, it came in for considerable discussion. Neither of the Virginia dioceses, however, Five companies must be added to the of the Virginia dioceses, however State militia before January 1, accordfavors any alteration in the name, and will vote solidly against such a resoluing to an order from the United States War Department, received by Adjutant-General W. W. Sale. In order to re-

Another important matter which was Another important matter which was carried over is the method of selecting a presiding officer. At the last convention action was taken providing that the head of the house of bishops be elected instead of being advanced by senjority. This if ratified ment regiments of infantry must be nies each. As there is an enormous amount of routine work and a large expense connected with organizing and vanced by sentority. This, if ratified by the present convention, will become a church law. The present head of florists' farms. Almost in the very equipping a new company. Adjutant-General Sale is not looking forward to the next two or three months as anything like a holiday. A number of locations are under discussion for the

to the next two or three months as anything like a holiday. A number of locations are under discussion for the new companies. It has been suggested that one be located in South Richmond, and efforts will be made to revive several companies in different sections of the State which, for lack of local interest, have become dormant.

Armory Matter a Problem.

The most serious problem in the organization of a new company is that of an armory. Where the military organization is new and the community has not seen its value as an adjunct to the local police in times of disorder, it proves difficult to enlist interest in the erection of adequate armories by the cities or towns. Neither the great convention is in who will defend the system of senior.

A measure that is of interest to the delegations is the reapportioning of the representation. The Diocese of Southern Virginia, with 16,000 communicants, now has the same number of delegates as some Western dioceses of 3,000 and 4,000. The Diocese of Virginia is in practically the same condition, and both will welcome a change. Both, too, are in favor of a plan to establish provinces, composed manner that a diocese, in the same parts of the great retail street that it is fifter were not strung along its borders the charming and beautiful forms as such they are very much in evidence in the Retail Merchants' Association.

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dioceses. Its purpose is to investigate and ameliorate conditions among the poor of the diocese.

Indorse Eugenic Marringes.
Eugenic marriages have been indorsed by the conventions of both Vir-Marie Coles, colored, was arrested last night by Bicycle Policeman Botto on the charge of entering the dwelling of Rosa Gaines, also colored, of 1035 North Seventeenth Street, and stealing

couples, even the innocent party, dur-ing the life of the other, which will be brought before the convention by the diocesan delegation from Southern Ohio, the Virginia delegations have no Alexander Palmer, colored, was ar-rested yesterday by Mounted Policeman Jordan on the charge of cruelly workbeen agitated in the annual conven-

first Episcopal Church in America, at Camestown, Va., was started in 1607. just three centuries ago. Many prominent Episcopalians, among them J. Pierpont Morgan, came here to at-tend the sessions six years ago.

Meet at Fairmount School.

The Northeast Citizens' Association will hold its first meeting since the summer vacation at Fairmount School on Friday night.

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## FLOWER FOLKS ARE IN THE BIG SWIM

Fashion Show Week to Be Floral Display-Florists Among Enthusiasts.

The flower gardens and the florists are going to cut a very large figure

a church law. The present head of the house of bishops is Bishop Tuttle, who will defend the system of seniori-

mumbers of parishes.

Brotherhood Will Meet.

While the general convention is in evidence during Fashion Week. As a people indoors, necessitating for a single company armory a floor space of approximately 60 by 100 to 120 feet, an open space which it is not always easy to find even for temporary quarters.

Company for Southside.

As Richmond has in recent years

In the erection of adequate armories by the ericking of St. Andrew will hold a big meeting in New York. Large numbers of Richmonders and Virginians will attend the sessions of the two bodies.

The delegation from the Diocese of Virginia is as follows:

Rev. William Meade Clark, D. D. rector of St. James Church, Richmond; are important parts of the decoration business.

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As Richmond has in recent years provided three large expensive armorism in the older section of the city, the Adjutant-General is quite hopeful that it will shortly provide a one-company armory in the Southside, where of the company could be attached either to the local battalion of the First Regiment on the Southside, it is stated, at the ment on the Southside, it is stated, at the ment on the Southside, it is stated, at the ment on the Southside, it is stated, at the ment on the Southside, it is stated, at the ment on the Southside, it is stated, at the ment on the Southside, it is stated, at the ment on the Southside, it is stated, at the ment on the Southside, it is stated, at the ment of the social service Commission, which has the hearty indorsement of the Social Service Commission, which has the hearty indorsement of the Church, Rev. F. Ernest Warren, rection that they have taken up the work of the Social Service Commission, which has the hearty indorsement of the Church, Rev. F. Ernest Warren, rection is amply able to support the thirty-indorsement of the Church, South Richmond, and Rev. W. Russell Bowie, D. D., rector of St. Danks, Richmond, are the chairmen of the work of the Social Service Commission, while has the hearty indorsement of the Church, South Richmond, and Rev. W. Russell Bowie, D. D., rector of St. Danks, Richmond, are the chairmen of the flower business of little old, solid old Richmond is something worth while.

### ARRESTED FOR SPEEDING

A. E. Donnan, twenty-two years old, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Motorcycle Policeman Samuels on the ginia dioceses, and this question will charge of driving an automobile faster come before the general convention. On the question of a new church canon the West End. He furnished bail for to forbid the remarriage of divorced his appearance this morning in Police

instructions, and the matter has never driving an automobile truck in River-

Loses Valuabe Clharm.

James E. Phillips, a member of the Board of Health, reported to the police last night the loss of a gold Knights of Columbus charm set with four jewels. He thinks it was lost on Elm Street, between Grove Avenue and Main Street. It is inscribed, "James E. Phillips, Presented by Richmond Council, Knights of Columbus." Building Permits.
Building permits were issued yesterday as

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Lecture on Africa.

An illustrated lecture on Africa, by missionary who has recently returned a cost of \$2,399.

Dr. W. H. Parker, to repair a brick store and dwelling at 1713 East Franklin Street, at a cost of \$1,290.

C. E. Straus, to repair brick store and Church.

Greetings, William Hodges Mann, Governor of Virginia; George Ainslie, Mayor of Richmond; T. M. Carrington, president Chamber of Commerce.

Greetings acknowledged, Fred. A. Crandall, chairman of the executive Committee.

Must Repair Buildings.

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Police Justice Crutchfield yesterday allowed H. Seldon Taylor & Son five days in which to make necessary repairs to the buildings at 1941-1956 East Main Street, which have been condition by Building Inspector Butler. Taylor, executor of the estate of Mrs. E. W. Palmer.

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# The Monster of Them

the time for recruiting the five

additional companies be extended.

a quantity of clothing.

Arrested for Stenling Clothing

Arrested for Cruelty.

Pelice Board Meets To-Night.

Policeman Resigns. Patrolman M. T. Eacho, of the First District, who was appointed to the po-

lice force several months ago, last

night tendered his resignation to Cap

Report of the secretary, Harry S. Smale, secretary. Report of the treasurer. I. L. Bourgeois, treasurer. Report of standing committees.

A Local Man Expels a Tapeworm 97 store. After hearing the results from the use of Quaker Herb Extract, he decided to try it; using it five days, expelled a monster tapeworm ninety-seven feet, head and all complete; brought the worm to Tragel's drug. When the worm to Tragel's drug. Seven feet, head and all complete; brought the worm to Tragel's drug. When the worm to Tragel's drug. When the worm to Tragel's drug to the worm to the worm to Tragel's drug to the worm to Maury Street. Has been feeling poorly the expelling of the forty-one-foot tapeworm from little nine-year-old toms of tapeworm. He would have Lonnie Duggan, of 120 Linden Street, have had catarrh of the head, throat,

Walker—Scott.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Elizabeth City, N. C., September 16.—
E. H. Walker, of Richmond, and Miss
Pearle C. Scott, of Elizabeth City, were married this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Scott, in Selden Street, Rev. J. Y. Old performed the ceremony, Mr. Immediately after the ceremony, Mr. Immediately after the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Walker left on the Northmand Mrs. Walker left undone. You must be contained the Cal that the Quaker when here proved to the positively expel worms. The cal that the Quaker when here proved to the positively expel worms. The Late that the Quaker when here proved to the positively expel worms. The Late that the Quaker when here proved to the positively expel worms. The Late that the Quaker when here proved to the p